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In re application of

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DOOR SENSOR AND DOOR EQUIPPED WITH SUCH DOOR SENSOR

COVER LETTER ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION FILED WITHOUT EXECUTED DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b) AND IN A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH UNDER 37 CFR 1.52(d)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a new patent application entitled "DOOR SENSOR AND DOOR EQUIPPED WITH SUCH DOOR SENSOR". This application is submitted in the Japanese language under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.52(d).

Furthermore, the present application is submitted under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(b), and the application as filed does not include an executed declaration. However, accompanying the application is an unexecuted declaration listing the inventor information.

The application as filed further does not include an executed power of attorney, and accordingly, it is requested that communication initially be directed to the following firm, until an executed power of attorney and declaration are filed:

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Respectfully submitted,

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